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FM AMEMBASSY NICOSIA

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AMEMBASSY ATHENS

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SREF, PFOR, CVIS, CY, PO, VS, GR

SUBJECT: REFUGEE ASYLUM SEEKERS FROM EASTERN EUROPE

EMBASSY WOULD WELCOME ESTABLISHMENT OF PROCEDURE AS OUT-
LINED IN GENEVA 2787. WITH SUMMER SEASON NOW IN SWING,
EMBASSY WILL AGAIN BE APPROACHED BY A NUMBER OF EASTERN
EUROPEAN ASYLUM SEEKERS. AVAILABILITY OF REFUGEE PROCESSING
CENTER IN GREECE WOULD DEFINITELY RELIEVE EMBASSY OF TIME-
CONSUMING AND OFTTIMES POTENTIALLY EMBARRASSING CASES.
HOWEVER, TO AVOID POSSIBILITY OF FURTHER EMBARRASSMENT
IN CASES OF ASYLUM SEEKERS IN CYPRUS, WOULD PLAN ONLY TO
INDICATE TO GOCYPRUS AUTHORITIES THAT THESE INDIVIDUALS TO
BE SENT TO ATHENS FOR ICEM AND UNHCR PROCESSING, PLAYING
DOWN OUR ROLE AND THAT OF GOGREECE. WISH TO AVOID
CREATING IMPRESSION THAT WE HAVE WORKING ARRANGEMENT WITH
GOGREECE INTERPRETATION OF WHICH COULD BE USED TO SUPPORT
CANARD OF USG CONTROL OF GREEK REGIME.
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